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Duff, W. L., attorney at law, 266 Main street.

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Dalton & Price, book and job printers, 9 Jefferson street.

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Knickerbocker Insurance Company, 18 Madison street

Lehner House, corner Washington and Second streets.

Levett & Co., Joseph S., boot and shoe dealers, corner of Main and Union streets.

Loewenstein & Brothers, S., wholesale and retail dry goods 242 Main street.

Lane & Waller, plumbers and steam pipe fitters, 204 Main street.

Lowenstein & Brother, J. S., dry goods, Clay Building, 251 Main street.

Levy & Co., A. S., auctioneers, 287 Second street.

Linkhauer & Brother, agents, boot and shoemakers, 261, Second street.

Levy and Miller, general steamboat agents and forwarders, 3 Madison street.

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Merchants' National Bank, 3 Jefferson street.

Moody & Co., John K., grocery and produce, 290 Front street.

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Mean & Geoghegan, dealers in agricultural implements, 282 Front st.

Murray & Ridgely, merchant tailor No. 31 Madison street, Memphis Tenn.

Meslhen & Bro., liquor dealers, 261 Main street.

McMahon & Otis, Insurance Agents, corner Madison and Second streets.

Montgomery & Co, J. H., Steamboat Agents, foot of Jefferson street.

Meaken Brothers, staple and fancy dry goods, 264 Main street.

Memphis and Louisville Railroad, office 227½ Main street.

Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company, Tom Calvert, Superintendent.

New Memphis Theater, W. C. Thompson, manager, Jefferson street, below Third.

Poyas, J. T., attorney at law, Lee Block, 15 Union street.

Power & McCoy, merchant tailors, 28 Second street.

Packer, H. B., coal dealer, 252 Main street.

Powell & Co., F., advertising agents, 19 Union street.

Pattison & Co, George, dealers in books and stationery, 257½ Main street.

Persse, M., millinery and dress making, 267½ Main street.

Passmore & Co., W. H., General Auctioneers, Vincent Block, Second street.

Peebles, corner of Third and Jefferson streets. R. C. Glenn, Postmaster.

Price & Treadwell, wholesale grocers, Lee Block, Union

Rebsen, Saxed & Co., fashionable clothiers, 261 Main street.

Randolph, M. W., attorney at law, corner Monroe and Second street.

Royster, Trezevant & Co., Auctioneers and Real Estate Brokers, Ayres Block, Second street.

Southern Farmer, office 37 Court street.

Shrevehard & Co, C. W., grocery and commission merchants, 124 Front street.

Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Company, 24 Madison street.

Goddard & Co, A. S., auctioneers, 289 Second street.

Scruggs, P. T. and E. R., attorneys at law, 32 Union street.

St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, Kellahan & Orr, agents; office, 42 Madison street.

Smith & Leech, wholesale liquor dealers, 249 second street.

Seymour & Co., B. J., importers and dealers in Bonnets, 285 Second street.

Seawright & Co., W. T., leather dealers, foot of Adams street.

Smith, Owen, undertaker, 261 northeast corner Gayoso and second street.

Telegraph Office, 37 South Court street.

Terry & Mitchell, wholesale boots and shoes, 279 Main street.

Tate & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 19 Union street.

United States Insurance Company, 279 Main street.

United States Court, U. S. Trigg, Judge; No. 225 Main street, third floor.

Vinson & Donelson, steamboat agents, 264 Front street, up stairs.

Vanderbilt House, corner Washington and Main street.

Ward & Co. E. S., seed dealers, 281 Main street.

Wade & Co. H., steamboat agents, 290 Front street.

Wright & Mallory, attorneys at law, 24 Williams Block, corner Second and Monroe streets.

Yerger & Gale, attorneys at law, Library Building, Third street, [illegible]

Zeigler, [illegible] coal depot, 252 Adams street.

THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

The White Man's Platform.

I hold that this Government was made on the white basis, by white men, for the benefit of white men and their posterity forever, and should be administered by white men, and none others. I do not believe that the Almighty made the negro capable of self government.—*Stephen A. Douglas.*

Hear President LINCOLN REPLY:

I DO NOT THINK HAVE EVER BEEN IN FAVOR OF MAKING VOTERS OR JURORS OF NEGROES nor of qualifying them to hold office, nor intermarrying them with white people, and I will say, in addition to this, that there is a PHYSICAL DIFFERENCE between the white and black race, which, I believe, will forever forbid the two races living together on terms of social and political equality. And inasmuch as they cannot so live, while they do remain together, there must be a position of superior and inferior, and I as much as any other man am in favor of having the SUPERIOR POSITION ASSIGNED TO THE WHITE RACE.

Two years before the death of DANIEL WEBSTER he said:

"IF THESE IMBECILINEST *Fanatics and Abolitionists* ever get the power into their own hands, they will override the Constitution of the United States, trample down all State Laws to suit themselves, lay violent hands on those who differ with them in opinion, and deluge the country with blood; and finally, ruin both the country and things it with blood.

On September 6, 1845, twenty-five years ago, HENRY CLAY said:

The agitation of the question in the free States will first destroy all harmony, and finally lead to disunion; particularly unfortunate and calamitous in its consequences to the slaveholding States.

But the great aim and object of your then leaders is, to excite the laboring classes of the free States against the slaveholders; the consequence to them of such a dangerous contagion. The slaves being free, would be dispersed throughout the Union; they would constitute competitors with the free laborers; with the American, the Irish, the German; whose hit wages, he confounded with him, and affect his moral and social standing. And as the aims go both to Abolition and amalgamation, show that their object is to unite in marriage the laboring white man and the laboring black woman, in order to reduce the white laboring man to the degraded condition of the black man.

I would show their opposition to Colonization. Show its humane, religious and patriotic objects. That they are in opposition to those whom God has appointed. Why do the Abolitionists oppose Colonization? Do they not intend removing together the two races, in opposition to God's will, and to keep the blacks here, that they may interfere with, degrade and destroy the laboring whites. Show that the Republican Government is co-operating with the Abolitionists, for the purpose of dissolving the Union, etc. You can make a powerful article. Do this well for it will be read in every extremity of the Union. I am perfectly satisfied it will do great good. Let us hear from you on this subject.

A number of citizens of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, are preparing to go to Texas to reside.

For some time past coal has been selling in St. Louis at seven cents a bushel.

A National Manufacturers' Convention will meet at Cleveland on the 27th of May.

All the prisoners but one escaped Friday night from the Franklin county jail, in Vermont.

Mrs. Pancake, of Peoria, has got a divorce from her husband, G. H Pancake. That flattens him.

Another Washburne is coming to Congress. This one is a Minnesotian, and a brother of the three others.

Grasshoppers are doing an extensive hopatory business in the West. Hopping over everybody and everything.

The Cairo (Ill.) *Democrat* has been changed from a morning to an evening paper, has a new dress and is slightly enshmalled.

The London *Times* thus begins an editorial: "Now that Italy has come by her own, would she be so kind as to take back her organ-grinders."

The New York *Sun* says every man who pays income tax pays an unconstitutional tax, levied contrary to law, and which could not be legally collected of him. The *Sun*, it should be borne in mind, is "truly loil."

John Minor Botts has written a letter declining to be the Republican candidate for Governor of Virginia, and saying that he would like to be chosen as one of the United States Senators of that State.

It is reported that a third rail is to be laid from Topeka to the State Line and Leavenworth, and that the cars on the Missouri Pacific will run through to Topeka, where trains will be made up, and through freight transferred.

In Chatham, Canada, a scoundrel, named Charles Smith, has been sentenced to be hung for violence committed on the person of a married lady. The jury recommended him to mercy. He is a known thief and rascal generally.

"XL Congress" is the heading placed over its proceedings by sundry exchanges. An irreverent friend, noticing one yesterday, remarked that the "XL" is suggestive of the origin of the present Congress. He is a Hengishman and reads it "ex-hell."

For being badly shaken up in an accident on the Northeastern railroad, in England, Mr. Samuel Buxton sued for damages received on three accounts: First, for business losses; second, for structural sufferings; third, for agony endured in the anticipation of an untimely end. He got eight hundred pounds sterling.

On Monday evening of last week a man named Youel, agent for the American Express Company at Ladoga, a station on the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago railroad left for parts unknown, and is supposed to have carried away a large amount of money; $2,200 was missing from the safe.

Walking matches on the surface of the earth have been rather overdone of late, and so the Bostonians determined to have a pedestrian contest to excite them, and wishing to be original in the arrangements, are preparing for a submarine walking-match under the supervision of a diver. The course is to be from one of the wharves in the city proper to the Cunard wharf in East Boston.

Adolph Hoeffelman and George Trautwein found an old shell buried in the ground on a farm where they were at work, in King George county, Virginia, the other day. Trautwein applied a match to the tube to see if the shell was loaded. An explosion followed, which cut off both of Hoeffelman's legs and one of Trautwein's. The former died soon after, and it is not believed Trautwein can recover.

Mr. A. P. Sullivan, a Detroit merchant, was shot by an unknown assassin on Friday night, between eleven and twelve o'clock, at his store. He heard a noise in a narrow alley behind his store, and went out into the alley in the darkness, when some one approached him from behind and fired a pistol, just as he was in the act of turning around. The ball inflicted a painful flesh wound, and the villain escaped.

The incomes in the sixth Congressional district of New York, one of the richest in New York city, are not generally so large this year as last. The following are the principal ones: Wm. B. Astor, $977,453; W. W. Cornell, $215,304; Eli White, $110,568; Jonathan Thorne, $158,618; W. C. Rhinelander, $194,747; Jos. Sampson, $174,866; James J. Roosevelt, $61,849; G. V. B. Roosevelt, $93,098; Barnet L. Soloman, $56,155; E. S. Van Winkle, $48,913; Gabriel Mead, $43,500; O. Ottendorfer, $74,116; Samuel Willetta, $30,098; W. B. Wright, $47,940; D. H. Haight, $97,093; J. T. Johnston, $50,029; G. P. Rogers, $55,235; S. E. Redmond, $44,000; D. Knowlton, $50,684; J. Rosenfeld, $45,000; A. C. De Sauno, $41,706; Willard Parker, $38,846.

Shall we Abandon our Country or try and Make it the Seat of Empire?

EDITORS AVALANCHE:—It was once said by a dying, hero "don't give up the ship." Those immortal words have ever inspired my American pride, and I may be a little enthusiastic at times when I attempt to lift the curtain and look into the future of my country, and especially when I look at the future of this particular section, this God-favored locality. When I contrast that belt of territory bounded by Cairo on the north and Vicksburg and Jackson on the south, with any other parallels of latitude from ocean to ocean, I say I become enthusiastic, and feel in reality that it is the finest in every sense of any country on the whole face of the earth, possessing all the natural elements of power to a surpassing degree. A winter of an average of two months or still unsurpassed by any, a system of rivers draining every county, almost every Civil District, with untold mineral wealth—such as enter into all our utilized ideas of life, and such forests of timber, comprising all the varieties of wood that is used by us Americans in agricultural articles and furniture, so that there is really nothing wanting but people to make ours the seat of empire and center of civilization.

Now, Mr. Editor, there is not one letter in the above boast that is not true, and I might add much more; then why is it that this favored section is yet so sparely settled. This question I propose to answer, or at least to give some of the principal reasons why Memphis is not far more populous than St. Louis, and why New Orleans is not larger than New York.

The fault is ours. Yes, I say the fault lies at your door and mine. Neighbor, we have repelled and are still repelling population. "Well, but I don't do it," says one, "I would be glad to have people come here, and buy and build and cultivate with us." Well, I admit that there is many intelligent gentlemen here to-day who would be glad to see an influx of population and a general improvement in our most wasted section, but there are many others who by their acts are driving from us our most useful citizens. I say most useful citizens, for he who only consumes is a pauper, I care not how much he may possess of this world's goods.

The command has gone forth "by the sweat of your brow you shall earn your bread," and that bread must be dug from the earth, and you, friend, may own in fee your 100,000 broad acres and yet be a pauper. You may pay cash for all you eat or use, and still be a pauper, a drone, a leach on the body politic—a worse than pauper—for your very influence is against progress. You hold on to your broad acres; you never encourage enterprise; you never invest your substance, or any part of it, in manufactures or machinery, or in any enterprise that will give employ to the poor of your section. I say you hold on like a dog in the manger. You have persistently refused your active aid and encouragement by standing aloof and saying that you would give population and thereby repelled and frozen out as far as you could all schemes of manufacture that would have made your section far the foremost part of a common country. I say you have done this heretofore, and I could find for your conduct some little excuse in cotton, and negroes and large estates, with your serfs. All these things *I never had any part in destroying; but they are gone, forever gone*, and we have new duties to perform. Will we do it? Will we come up in our manhood and grapple with the issue and make ourselves master of the situation, or will we be supplanted by a more enterprising race? These are the issues before us.

I have heard it proclaimed from the Hustings—either emigration or migration. Either abandon this love for land or else encourage enterprise and population. Which will you do? The issue is on you. Dare you accept it? There is no time for you to lose. Something must be done to retain your present population; for I tell you candidly that our city of Memphis has lost ten thousand of her best population within the last six months, and they are leaving daily, and not going to this section of country, but most of them are going to Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and Colorado—into new fields of enterprise, (not more genial climes) but to a region where there is a welcome to all who come to live. Our Southern population is even going to Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, and all points north of us, and why? Because they are invited and encouraged to come. Why, sirs, one of our iron foundries has been moved in its entirety to Kansas City, Missouri, the city giving the proprietors a lot for their buildings, and assisting them in putting up the same. But what do we offer the manufacturer to come here? At two and a half per cent. a month we will take a few hundred dollars of his paper, provided it be well indorsed. Do we offer him social position, preference on his products (all else being equal), or make him undersell a foreign article? These are some of the inducements offered in Memphis.

Well, but we are not a manufacturing city. True, we are not, and our policy must change before we become one. But the cry is, Oh! yes, we want farmers in the country. Yes, and how do you want them? what inducements do you offer? Oh, it is the finest country in the world; we can grow everything in it. All true. But what security do you give for the protection of life and property? That is the question. Now, come up to the scratch, face the music and let us dance squarely. When a new-commer comes into your neighborhood how do you treat him? Do you visit him, encourage him by your countenance and kindly regard? Do you proffer him any aid as a new-comer or a neighbor? or have you stayed away from him and froze his very soul by your coldness? Perhaps he is a man from York State, and may be one of those noble souls who have stood up for your rights in his own home, and made enemies by so doing, and he has gathered up his little family and come to our land of flowers and genial skies. But has he met genial hearts, and a hearty welcome from you whom he has selected as his future neighbors, and with whom he proposes to be as Ruth was—your people his people, your God his God? Oh, how his heart has sickened within him when you have seemingly shunned him and turned away from him as though you had done wrong in speaking to him. And if his heart sinks at these things, what of his wife and little ones? Her whom he has sworn to honor, love and protect, how must she feel, leaving all kindred ties to go with her husband to the sunny land. "Oh!" says he, "darling you will have hosts of new friends in this bright land to which we go, and they will be sisters to you and cheer you in your desolation, and ever smiling nature will make all so bright." I say, neighbor, have you thus welcomed your new citizens? "Oh, they are Yankees. I hold them at a proper distance." Well, perhaps you do, but while you do be assured of this one thing (and I speak as one who knows,) your population will not aggregate at a very rapid rate of any class of persons—such as I would like to have come among you."

DIXIE.

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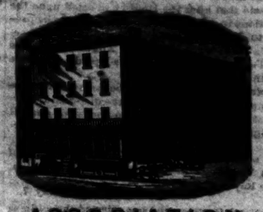

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A NEW enterprise, to be known as the National Telegraph Company, has been organized with valuable franchises (embracing by a recent act of Congress, the franchises of several existing Trunk Lines of Telegraphs on all the principal railroads and mail routes in the United States), to be built and operated upon the same principles as that of the Merchant's Union Express Company, which has proved so successful and popular. The design is to connect the entire southern commercial, in the ownership. This is done, not so much in charge of the stock as it is to secure the business of the country which the lines pass.

THE CAPITAL IS TO BE

$10,000,000

In 100,000 shares of the par value of

$100 PER SHARE

But the actual amount to be paid in cash is

$35 PER SHARE

and this amount is to be paid as follows: One per cent. of the par of the lists of subscribing, and no more until the entire capital has been subscribed, and then on calls to be made by the Board of Directors; installments not to exceed five per cent. per month. When thirty-five per cent of the par value of the shares has been paid, certificates of stock will be issued. This will give the Company a paid up

CASH CAPITAL OF $3,500,000

Which will be sufficient to duplicate lines to all or nearly all the paying points reached by the present monopoly.

The present Telegraph Companies throughout the country have been consolidated into one huge monopoly, and are now earning over SIX MILLIONS OF DOLLARS per year, or over one hundred per cent. on the actual cost of their lines their present capital having been watered over ONE THOUSAND per cent.

THE NATIONAL TELEGRAPH COMPANY have a recognition from the United States Government of the importance of their enterprise, with a grant of the most valuable franchises ever conferred upon a telegraph company. No competing line has ever had the right now granted by Congress to the company to construct and control lines over every RAILROAD and MAIL ROUTE in the United States. The position of this Comp ny differs from that of any company heretofore organized. The question of the RIGHT OF WAY IS FOREVER SETTLED.

The Stockholders of this Company cannot be sold out or TRAMMELED in any other Company. The act of Congress under which this Company has been organized prohibits any transfer of the franchise granted.

CALLS---HOW TO BE MADE

One per cent of the Stock will be required on subscribing, and subsequent calls, not to exceed five per cent. per month, will be made by the Board of Directors, from time to time, as may be necessary, to supply funds to construct and equip the lines; but no calls will be made after the one per cent. is paid, until the entire Capital Stock shall have been subscribed

ACTUAL CAPITAL REQUIRED

The Company confidently believe that thirty-five per cent of the Capital Stock will construct and fully equip

25,000 Miles of Wire

Which will connect all the commercial centers and important places in the United States. The estimates are upon the most reliable estimates and responsible offers to construct and equip the lines.

THE NATIONAL TELEGRAPH COMPANY is organized under the laws of the State of New York, and franchises conferred by an act of Congress, approved July 24, 1866.

President—GEORGE B. SEXTER, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Vice President—ROBERT SQUIRES, of New York City.

Secretary—GEORGE B. WALLER, of New York City.

COMPANY'S OFFICE,

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A limited amount of the capital stock of this Company is allotted to this locality, and those having an opportunity, are advised to subscribe at once. This station will be upon the best terms, and will secure like interests in all franchises which have accrued, or may hereafter accrue to the Company from any source.

Stock may now be subscribed in this Company at the Office of THE MERCANTILE AGENCY, R. G. DUN & CO., Room No. 5, Commercial Bank Building, corner Main and Madison streets, Memphis, Tenn.

S. B. WRIGHT.

mh23 General Agent for Memphis and Vicinity.

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BEING about to make a change in our firm, on account of the death of Mr. E. G. JONES, we offer our stock of FURNITURE and CARPETS

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AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

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INSURANCE.

UNITED STATES

FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE CO.

OF BALTIMORE, MD.

J. W. RANDOLPH, President. H. C. JONES, Secretary.

Cash Assets January 1, 1867,

$305,689 00.

Cash Assets January 1, 1868,

$431,376 00.

Declared to Stockholders for year 1867 a Dividend of 25 per cent. upon Capital, amounting to

$50,000 00.

PREMIUM RECEIPTS FOR 1867.

Fire Branch, - - - - - $163,132 00
Marine Branch, - - - - - $158,331 00

LOSSES.

Paid during the year 1867, - $118,463 00

A share of patronage for this reliable Company is respectfully solicited.

G. W. L. CROOK, Agent,

mh28 Office, 279 1-2 Main Street.

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BRENNON BAYLISS, Memphis, Tenn. ROBERT T. SAUNDERS Memphis, Tenn.

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS

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We are prepared to purchase, on orders, all commodities, both in Europe and America, and to make liberal advances on consignments of produce shipped to any market in Europe, including Ostend, Belgium, etc.

Our object is to bring about Direct Trade, and hope the people will favor us in every possible way in this important matter.

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Especial attention to forwarding of all kinds. Liberal cash advances on goods in store or to arrive. mh28

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WANTS.

WANTED—Parties wishing business of any kind transacted on or consignments to White River, Arkansas, as far up as Augusta, can have it done by a reliable per on by addressing T. S. ALLEN, as Walker Brothers & Co., 19 Main street. my7

WANTED—A situation as GOVERNESS in a private family, or teacher of a country school. For particulars apply at Commercial Hotel. my7

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Fifty good experienced hands to make Staves Inquire of CANNOVAN & BOND,
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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—The OFFICE AND FIXTURES recently used by the Tennessee Savings Institution, Bethell Block, will be rented at a low rate to a prompt paying tenant. The fixtures, consisting of Counter, Desks, Chairs, with one of Hall's best Fire and Burglar Proof Safes, are all new and in good order. The office is well suited for banking or insurance business. Apply on the premises. my4

FOR RENT—A two story FRAME RESIDENCE, with seven rooms, kitchen and servants' room; large back yard, good cistern, etc Situated No. 100 Market street. For rent low to a good tenant. Apply at No. 119 Market street, or at Citizens' Union Bank. apr21

REWARDS.

$50 REWARD—STOLEN On Thursday, April 23, about three o'clock in the afternoon, from Owen Smith's stable, on Third street, near Beale, a BAY MARE MULE, about six years old; white stripe on face, branded on the jaw P, and on the left flank A, one blind from birth; also blind in the right eye scarcely perceptible. A boy's Mexican saddle and bridle, with half brim looped, were also taken with her. The above reward will be paid on her return to SMITH, or L. W. PHILLIPS, Elmwood Cemetery. my7

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A neat COTTAGE HOUSE containing three rooms and balance of lease for five years. Apply at 176 Washington street, or to
my14 JACK VAUGHT.

FOR SALE—Twelve A No. 1 BILLIARD TABLES. Apply to D. H. EVANS.
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EDITORIAL

FRIDAY, : : : : MAY 8, 1868

BEAUMONT, have you yet found the Ku-Kluxs? We fear your detectives are not efficient, or they would have nosed out a den before this. We must find this infamous Klan. It is bad enough for our town to be cursed with the Grand Army of the Republic, the Lincoln Councils and the Loyal Leagues, and we must therefore break up the Glee Clubs and the Ku-Klux Klan. We thought, BEAUMONT, a few nights since, we had found the Ku-Klux, and we whistled for you, but you didn't come. We fear you have played truant with us. In our peregrenations a few nights since, in searching for a den, we stumbled upon a promiscuous crowd, and presuming we had found the Ku-Klux, we felt like COLUMBUS did when he discovered America, and rushed frantically forward exclaiming *Eureka! Eureka!* But alas, for the mutability of all earthly expectations, we only found a den of Loyal Leaguers, a motley squad of carpet-bag scalawags, hob-nobbing with negroes and plotting against the liberties of a people born upon Tennessee soil, and who pay the taxes that feed most of the despots. But in all seriousness, BEAUMONT, if the Ku-Klux are for assassination; if, like the Loyal League, they are bound by horrid oaths to arm themselves and conspire against the liberties of the people, we deprecate them as much as you do. But if this organization is gotten up in peace to prepare for war—if it is a necessary remedy for the diseases of Loyal Leagues and universal negro dominion—if it is a solemn pledge to the North and the world, that we will never, never permit carpet-baggers and scalawags to come into our midst and alienate the simple minded negro from us, infuse into his ignorant heart suspicions and malice against us, to prevent a war of races or negro dominion, then, we say, let our best citizens organize. Let our most discreet, determined and prudent ones organize in terrible earnest, and say to the angry waves of mongrel equality: "Thus far, and no farther, shalt thou go." We know full well that snobbery, the mercenary creatures who love property more than principles, are squeaking for "peace," and would not give a peppercorn, or raise their voices, in aid of the noble Democracy of the North who are fighting for our freedom. But the true men of the South must stand firm. They deserve to be abandoned by their Northern friends if they pander to Radical power, or show shame, humiliation and utter indifference to the great struggle which is so soon to convulse the nation. With the aid and sympathy of the Northern States, if we will but present a bold, determined front, we can and will stem this tide of fanaticism. If the South will organize to resist by all proper means the curse of Mongrelism, the Federal government cannot, dare, not try to force it upon us. It would require a standing army of 300,000 men—and to raise, equip and maintain them, their inflated finances would burst, their rotten system crumble, and a revolution follow that would relieve and vindicate us. Then let the good men meet peace with peace—force with force—organization with organization—and let a Ku-Klux den haunt a Loyal League hell in every town, city and State in the South. We repeat, organize, secretly, surely, effectually, and be prepared for any emergency. The syren voice of peace moves not the heart of the brave. The cowardice and timidity of wealth cannot stay the great popular masses who are shouting for freedom, liberty, and execrating the tyrants. Giants, Cyclops, and ghouls push on the grand column! Up with the ladders and scale the walls of despotism!

WE OBSERVE the name of Mr. JOHN TYLER, junior, among the arrivals at the Overton, and we have noticed recently in the St. Louis papers that he was invited to that city, by a number of its leading and most influential citizens, to repeat there the lecture he had made in Washington city for the benefit of the orphans. This lecture on the subject of "Divorcement and the Laws of Separate Estates in Married Women, Historically and Philosophically Considered," the *National Intelligencer* and Washington *Union*, and several of the papers in St. Louis, have spoken of in the highest terms of commendation for its profound research and logical power, and we suggest that it would be of interest to our citizens to have it repeated in Memphis, provided Mr. TYLER shall remain ... sufficiently long for suitable arrangements made.

TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

Frightful Tornado in Haywood County.

Houses Blown Down, Trees Uprooted—Immense Destruction of Property.

Lives Reported Lost—A Few Particulars of the Disaster.

Special Dispatch to the Memphis Avalanche.]

BROWNSVILLE, May 7.

This county (Haywood) was visited yesterday by the most terrific and destructive hurricane and hailstorm ever known in West Tennessee.

It commenced about two o'clock p. m. The first notification the citizens received was something in the northwest that resembled a circular cloud or volume of wind. The wind arose rapidly, and in a few minutes was blowing a perfect tornado.

It passed through a belt of country from Hatchie river northeast to Forked Deer river, about sixteen miles, making a track three hundred yards wide.

Trees were uprooted and branches sent flying everywhere. Houses were blown down, and fences prostrated. The destruction of property was very heavy, in many instances everything being destroyed.

It is reported that several persons were killed.

The storm was accompanied by a severe hail. It lasted only a few minutes. I shall send you particulars. HARVEY.

NASHVILLE.

NASHVILLE, May 6.

In the first race Elgin won the united three year old stake, distancing Agnes Donovan in the first heat. Time 1:37. Antelope, Beauty, Columbia and Skirmisher paid forfeits. The second race was won by Ooltawah in two straight heats, beating Nellie Gwynn, Pat Cleburne and Maggie Hunter. Time—1:50¼, 1:53¾.

NASHVILLE, May 7.

A cyclone passed over a portion of Davidson and Williamson counties yesterday evening, destroying trees and fences on the route. Mr. Chumbly and child, living on the Franklin pike, were killed, and his wife and three children dangerously hurt. Their house was lifted and carried some 300 yards.

The first race was won yesterday by Pat Malloy who galloped over the track. The second race, two mile dash, was won by Maggie Hunter, beating General Rousseau and Chickamauga. Time 4:02. The track was muddy.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, May 7.

The registration in this city is completed. Total number of whites is 10,254; negroes, 6,737. In the Medical Convention Dr. W. A. Baldwin, of Alabama, was elected president for the ensuing year, and Dr. Casper Allston, of Philadelphia, Treasurer. The Secretary holds over.

The Senate has determined to adjourn as a Court until Monday and take a vote on Tuesday. The members will be allowed to file their opinions.

Official accounts show that according to the incomplete returns received, that the majority for the ratification of the Constitution in Arkansas is 1,316. General Gillem says that had the election been conducted in strict conformity with General Order No. 7, the adoption of the Constitution would have been indisputable, but in Pulaski county the total vote exceeds the total number registered by 1,195. This is explained by the registrars, who admit that they permitted persons who were registered in other counties to vote on the presentation of their certificates of registration. There were also other irregularities of the voting in that county, and 780 in Jefferson county, making 1,295. There are no means of ascertaining whether they were cast for or against the Constitution. Each party charges the other with fraud.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, May 7.

A severe storm passed over this city yesterday, doing much damage in the way of unroofing houses, blowing down steeples and small houses. A steamer on the dock was turned keel upward. The weather is very cold and raining to-day.

Arrived—Belle Memphis and W. R. Arthur. Departed—Rubicon, for Vicksburg. The river is rising and the upper streams are swelling.

CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, May 7.

Dr. W. P. Hall and wife, of Piqua, in this State, were beaten nearly to death by burglars last night.

Arrived—Swallow, from New Orleans; Minnesola, from Memphis. Departed—Westmoreland, for New Orleans.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, May 7.

In the Conference to-day the quadrennial report of the General Missionary was read. It shows that the aggregate contributions were $2,511,436 39. The subject of the admission of laymen was then taken up and discussed until the adjournment.

BOSTON.

BOSTON, May 7.

The National Convention of the German Turners to-day adopted resolutions advocating a common school system throughout the South, and supporting the Monroe doctrine, as applied to naturalized citizens in foreign countries. The other resolutions are similar to those usually adopted at Radical meetings. The next convention meets at Pittsburg.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 7.

Miles and Gaulding, the pedestrians, at midnight last night had accomplished two hundred and seventy-six miles.

The celebrated Peterhoff prize case has been finally decided; $19,000 is to be distributed among the captors, and $28,000 paid to the British owners.

The famous race-horse Kentucky has been sold to Belmont, Waters and others.

The strike movement is still progressing.

LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, May 7.

The river is rising very fast with nine feet eight inches in the canal.

The weather is cool and raining.

The Clifton left to-day for Memphis.

AUGUSTA.

AUGUSTA, ME., May 7.

The Republicans of this District have nominated Blaine for Congress.

ALBANY.

ALBANY, May 7.

The jury in the Cole case, were discharged this morning. They stood six for acquittal and six for conviction.

EVANSVILLE.

EVANSVILLE, May 7.

The Dexter from New Orleans for Louisville passed up.

PITTSBURG.

PITTSBURG, May 7.

Several towboats left with coal to-day for the South.

KEY WEST.

KEY WEST, FLA., May 7.

This city gave eighty-five majority against the Constitution.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, May 6.

John Bright heads the petition for a commutation of the punishment of Barrett, the Fenian, as an alibi was fully proven on his trial.

MUNICH, May 7.

It is reported that Mr. Bancroft, the American Minister, is urging the Bavarian government to adopt the recent German treaty with America.

LONDON, May 7.

In the House of Commons to-night, Mr. Gladstone said that after the House had acted upon the resolutions in relation to the Irish church, he proposed to offer a suspensory act, which should remain in force until the 1st of August, 1869. His second and third resolves were adopted. They are substantially as follows:

Resolved, That an address be presented to the Queen praying her to place at the disposal of Parliament her interest in the temporalities and all the dignities and benefices of the church of Ireland.

It is reported that Princess Louise, daughter of Queen Victoria, will marry Christian Frediea, Prince Royal of Denmark.

BERLIN, May 7.

The North German Diet has rejected the address of the party of National Unity.

OTTAWA.

OTTAWA, May 7.

The new patent bill will allow only citizens of Canada to take out patents.

Fortieth Congress---First Session

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, May 7.

The Court opened at noon, and after some debate the doors were closed, the galleries being cleared of all spectators.

Mr. Drake's proposition to amend the 22d Rule was agreed to. It is, that the fifteen minutes allowed each member for debate shall be for the whole deliberation in the final question, and not on each article of impeachment.

HOUSE.

Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, presented estimates from the War Department in reference to the deficiency of $85,000 for the administration of the Reconstruction act in the Third Military District, which was ordered to be printed, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A resolution was passed requesting the President to send a sufficient number of war vessels to the fishing grounds in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and the adjacent British provinces, for the purpose of protecting the American vessels in exercising their rights as indicated in the existing treaties. The resolution says we cut the fact that the Canadian Government proposes to tax American fishing vessels four dollars per ton, and send war vessels to enforce the tax.

Mr. Robinson, as a question of privilege, offered a resolution that the resolutions impeaching President Johnson be expunged from the journal of the House, because the passage was strictly a party measure, of evil example, et cetera. The speaker decided that the question was not one of privilege. Mr. Robinson said he would bring it up again and it would eventually be adopted.

Mr. Stephens, from the Reconstruction Committee, reported the following: WHEREAS, The people of Arkansaw have adopted a constitution of State government, republican in form, and have duly ratified the 14th article of the amendment to the Constitution, it is hereby enacted that the State of Arkansas is entitled and invited to representation to Congress, as one of the States of the Union, upon the following fundamental conditions; That the constitution of Arkansas shall not be so amended or changed as to deprive any citizen or class of citizens of the United States of the right to vote who are entitled to vote by the Constitution herein recognized, except as punishment for such crimes as are now felonious at common law, whereof he or they shall have been duly convicted.

It was ordered to be printed and recommitted.

The House then proceeded to the consideration of the bill to prevent the further sales of lands belonging to the United States, except as provided for in the Pre emption and Homestead laws for disposing of town sites and mineral lands. Messrs. Briggs and Blaine spoke in opposition thereto, and Mr. Donnelly in its favor.

Mr. Lawrence, of Ohio, offered an amendment, and then the House adjourned without coming to a vote.

MARRIED.

On the 5th instant, by Rev. Richard Hines, at the residence of the bride's father, Col. R. B. SNOWDEN, of New York city, to MISS ANNIE O. SRINKLEY, daughter of Mr. R. C. Brinkley, of this city.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DISSOLUTION.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of BURLESON, PATTESON & CO., was dissolved on the 1st instant by mutual consent. The firm name will be used by either party in closing the business.

MEMPHIS, May 7, 1868. A. A. BURLESON.
ALEX. PATTISON.

DISSOLUTION.

THE firm of PARTEE, McGEHEE & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The firm name will be used only in closing the business by PARTEE, McGEHEE & BURLESON, who are authorized to use it.

H. A. PARTEE,
ED. F. McGEHEE,
R. P. PARTEE.

Composing firm of Partee, Mcgehee & Co.
MEMPHIS, TENN., May 1, 1868.

H. A. PARTEE, ED. F. McGEHEE, A. A. BURLESON

PARTEE, McGEHEE & BURLESON,

Successors to "PARTEE, McGEHEE & CO.," and "BURLESON, PATTISON & CO.,"

Cotton Factors
AND
General Commission Merchants,

332 Front Street, Memphis, Tenn.,

Will give special personal attention to the sale of Cotton and every description of Produce and Manufactured Articles; to the purchase of Plantation supplies and all descriptions of merchandise. Will also receive Goods on Storage, and forward the same to any point, as directed. All consignments to us will be covered by our open policy of insurance, unless otherwise instructed. We are at all times prepared to make Liberal Cash Advancements upon all consignments.
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CARD.

IN the dissolution of the firm of Burleson, Pattison & Co., I take great pleasure in recommending our successors in the Cotton Factorage and Commission business, Messrs. Partee, McGehee & Burleson, as eminently deserving the confidence and patronage of our friends and those desiring faithful correspondents in this city.

MEMPHIS, TENN., May 7, 1868. ALEX. PATTISON.
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Trotting Match.

A TROTTING MATCH will come off at the Memphis Association Course

On Saturday Next,

For $250 a side. The following entries have been made:

C. GEOGHEGHAN enters blk. h. Sam.
CAPTAIN JOHN S. LAYCOCK enters br. h. Lep.

☞ Race to commence at three p m my7

E. W. BROOKS. J. C. NEELY, S. W. BROOKS

BROOKS, NEELY & CO.,

Wholesale Grocers and Provision

DEALERS,

276 Front Street, between Court and Madison,

my7 MEMPHIS, TENN.

Trustee's Sale.

VALUABLE SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

BY virtue of a deed of trust made to me on the 20th day of February, 1867, by Samuel A. Gardiner, and which is duly registered in the Register's office of Shelby county, Tenn., in record book 60, part 2, pages 17, 18 and 19, and to which reference is here made, and the request of the parties secured I will,

On Thursday, the 4th day of June, 1868,

Proceed to sell, between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following real estate, described as said trust deed as follows, to-wit: A certain lot or parcel of land being in the county of Shelby, state of Tennessee, and in the suburbs of said metropolis, east of the city of Memphis, and being part of the subdivision of land between the heirs-at-law of Cornelius Peake, in the Law Court of Memphis, at the June term, 1868, thereof, in the case of Joseph N. Peake et al. vs. Joseph N. Moore and others, which said lot No. 5 is bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake which stands on the north line of said lot 5, thence south 19 chains and 40 links to a stake on the north line of Mississippi avenue; thence east with the south line of said avenue 7 chains and 50 links; thence north with the center of and parallel with the Memphis and Big Creek plank road, 19 chains and 40 links to the north line of said lot 5; thence west with the center of said road 7 chains and 50 links to the beginning, containing 14 acres, more or less. A certain undivided one-half interest described in the deed of trust as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake on the west side of the Memphis and Big Creek plank road, 354 feet six inches north from the northeast corner of Lot No. 41 of the aforesaid subdivision of the lands formerly belonging to the heirs of Robert Weakley, deceased, which stake with the north boundary of said lot No. 41, 852 feet to Wolf river; thence up said river 171 feet; thence east parallel with the north line of said lot No. 41, 852 feet to the west side of the Memphis and Big Creek plank road; thence south with the west side of said plank road to the beginning, 171 feet to the beginning.

I will act as Trustee, and will convey such title as is vested in me by the said deed.

The equity of redemption is waived in the said deed.

MEMPHIS, March 6, 1868.

A. G. MARSHUETZ, Trustee.

This sale has been postponed till half-past ten o'clock on SATURDAY, the 9th instant. Omnibuses will leave corner of second and Jefferson streets, at ten o'clock precisely. The sale will take place on the premises. my7

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE

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Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of two deeds of trust to me executed by Fred. A. Sayers, from Shelby county, one in book 65, pages 70 74, and the other in the same book, pages 65 70, made to secure the payment of certain notes in them mentioned, I will,

On the 8th day of May, 1868,

At the northwest corner of Jefferson and Second streets, in the city of Memphis, Shelby county, Tenn., for sale at public auction, and sell for cash to the highest bidder, the following described property, to-wit: A household of certain premises lying on the Randolph road, and near Wolf river, being the same leased by William A. Rickford on the last of June, 1867, for the term of five years, terminating on the 1st of March, 1869, the lease being recorded in the office of the Register of Shelby county, in book 56, part 1, pages 506-507; and also, all and singular the goods and chattels of every kind and description, on or belonging to the said premises on the said 8th day of May, 1868, including the improvements, buildings and appurtenances situate upon the said premises, and all the implements, vessels, machinery and other articles then used and employed thereon in the manufacture of high wines, gas, or for any other purpose; and also, all the grain, horses, wagons and carts then used on or about the said premises; and also, all the material for the manufacture of soap or the distillation of high wines, etc., on or about the said premises; and also, lot No. 1 of the subdivision of the estate of James Dodge, deceased, as described in the plat of the same, of record in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Memphis, in the case of John H. Trigg and others vs. Lydia Trigg and others, and bounded as follows: Beginning on the west side of the Memphis and Big Creek plank road, 354 feet six inches north from the northeast corner of Lot No. 41 of the aforesaid plat of the lands formerly belonging to the heirs of Robert Weakley, deceased, which stake with the north boundary of said lot No. 41, 852 feet to Wolf river; thence up said river 171 feet; thence east parallel with the north line of said lot No. 41, 852 feet to the west side of the Memphis and Big Creek plank road; thence south with the west side of said plank road to the beginning, 171 feet to the beginning.

I will act as Trustee, and will convey such title as is vested in me by the said deed.

The equity of redemption is waived in the said deed.

MEMPHIS, March 6, 1868.

A. G. MARSHUETZ, Trustee.

This sale has been postponed till half-past ten o'clock on SATURDAY, the 9th instant. Omnibuses will leave corner of second and Jefferson streets, at ten o'clock precisely. The sale will take place on the premises. my7

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By avoiding credit sales we are enabled to offer substantial inducements to cash buyers; and we cordially invite all to call and test the truth of these assertions, by prices. We promise the most careful attention to all favors entrusted to us.

Very respectfully,

E. W. RISLEY,
my3 Late of Memphis, Tenn.

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AND
LADIES' HAIR DRESSING.

I HAVE purchased from Cook & Sargeant their selected stock of HUMAN HAIR GOODS, which I am now ready to offer to my patrons. I ask the ladies to call and see for themselves the fine artistic styles and elegance of the goods for sale.

At 300 1-2 Main Street, Up-stairs, Opp. Court Square

N. B.—WIGS, CHIGNONS, etc. HAIR CUTTING in any style done by the Professor, T. LAVIGNE. apr26

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OF
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BELONGING to the estate of Colonel James A. Carson, deceased. On TUESDAY, May 12, we will sell, for the Clerk and Master in Chancery, the valuable property on which Col. James A. Carson, deceased, resided, on the corner of Avenue A and the Fair Grounds, with A large front also on the Memphis and Ohio Railroad, subdivided into spacious and handsome building lots.

Also, about Twenty Suburban Lots, of from two to three acres each, on Chester and Cooper Avenues, about three miles east of the city—among them that beautiful Lake Lot, so much admired and desired by those who pass it.

This desirable property will be sold on very easy terms, so as not to exclude purchasers of small capital, and presents an opportunity of investment in some of the most desirable real estate and garden property in and around the city. Plans will be shown at our office. Sale begins with the residence property, on the premises, at 10 A.M.

TERMS—Fourth cash; balance in four annual instalments, with interest.

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Vocal and Instrumental Concert

AT THE MEMPHIS CLUB HALL,

Friday Evening, 8th of May, 1868,

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK,

ASSISTED by the best Artistic and Amateur Talent of the city.

Tickets One Dollar.

To be had at all the Music and Bookstores and at the door.
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Beautiful Grenadine Barege, 25 cents a yard.

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French Figured Lawns, 20 cents a yard.

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1,000 pieces 4-4 Bleached Domestic, 15 cents a yard.

100 Marseilles Bed Quilts, $2 a pair.

—ALSO—

1,000 Pure Linen Towels, 25c. each.

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A New Lot of Elegant Lace Points,

SUN SHADES AND PARASOLS.

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A large and well selected stock of everything in our line kept constantly on hand at Lowest Market Price. Wholesale dealers would do well to examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere. mh6

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No. 209 Main Street, Four Doors North of Adams, Memphis, Tenn.,

General Dealers in Plantation Supplies.

IN ADDITION, ALWAYS HAVE

Choice Michigan Butter,	Extra Golden Syrup,	Buckwheat Flour.
Shaker Preserves,	Canned Fruits, Pickles,	Green and Black Teas,
Sugar, Flour, Meal, Lard,	Sugar Cured Hams,	Breakfast Bacon,
Choice Coffees,	Irish Potatoes, Hominy,	Beans, Pearl Barley.

Have in store a consignment of DRIED PEACHES—finest in the market.

☞ Captain KEALHOFER gives special attention to Cotton and Produce consigned to the house. ja30

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We invite the Attention of

COUNTRY MERCHANTS AND DEALERS

To our Large and Complete Stock of

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S TRIMMED HATS!

Having largely increased our facilities, we can now furnish

ANY STYLE, QUALITY OR PRICE REQUIRED

At the Shortest Notice.

WE SELL ONLY AT WHOLESALE

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Are too apparent to require argument. We also keep a large variety of

Ribbons, Flowers, Dress Trimmings, Straw Cords and Tassels, Etc., Etc.,

Which we offer at the Lowest CASH PRICES.

OTIS & CO.,

219 Second Street, Adams Block.

☞ Particular Personal Attention given to orders. Our FASHION PLATE, showing all the LATEST STYLES OF STRAW GOODS, will be sent upon application. my3

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Established 1852,

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ALL KINDS OF WESTERN PRODUCE,

272 Front Street, Memphis, Tennessee.

Agents for the Old Established Line of Arkansas River Packets.

☞ We are prepared to make CASH ADVANCES, when required, on Shipments of WESTERN PRODUCE for sale here or on COTTON consigned to our Correspondents in New Orleans. my8

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

FASHIONABLE

Boot and Shoemakers,

LINKHAUER & BRO. Agents.

THIS well known firm is now located at 301½ Second street between South Court and Madison, opposite the Gayoso House.

THE SINGER MANUFACTURING CO.'S

WORLD-RENOWNED

Patent Straight Needle, Perpendicular Action

SEWING MACHINES.

THE superior merits of the "SINGER" MACHINES over all others, for either FAMILY OR MANUFACTURING purposes, is now a well established and acknowledged fact, admitted, that no enumeration of their relative excellencies is necessary, as they stand supreme.

We urge every person in quest of a Sewing Machine to call and examine and test both, if they can find no satisfactory reason why they should not do so, as all the leading rival Machines before making a purchase. A selection can then be made understandingly.

We have established an office for the sale of our Machines, also, silk twist (of our own make), cotton and linen thread of a superior quality,

AT 275 MAIN STREET,

Where they will be cheerfully exhibited, and any information desired furnished.

N. B.—All the Machines manufactured by this Company make the same Lock-stitch, the only stitch which is universally approved, or in all cases 1 for first class work.

☞ The Singer Sewing Machine only received out of 40 competitors.

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No. 175 West Fourth street, Cincinnati, Ohio.
GEORGE A. GOODMAN,
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Valuable City Property for Sale

FOR CITY SCRIP.

THE well and valuable Thirty-five feet by two hundred and forty-two feet lot on Monroe avenue, between Second and Third streets, is offered for sale for City Scrip. Apply at the Avalanche Office.
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For Sale.

$8,000 CASH will buy the Lot, Store and Fixtures of the late firm of Bell & Co., at the corner of Main and Union streets. Possession immediately. Apply to
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JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE

100 casks Bacon,
500 barrels Pork,
50 tierces Hams,
400 barrels Flour,
200 boxes Candles,
300 packages Molasses,
20 hogsheads Sugar.

Also, all articles generally kept in our line.

GALBREATH, STEWART & CO.,
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ROBESON, SNEED & CO.,

261 Main Street, Opp. Court Square.

RE-OPENING
OF
Raleigh Mineral Springs
AND
Franklin Hotel, Raleigh, Tenn.

THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the public that they have rebuilt the popular House, and will be open for the reception of guests on MONDAY, May 4th inst. Families desiring board for the season can secure rooms by making application at the office of the House, in Raleigh, or by letter.

In connection with the House, Mr. E. S. FULGHUM will run a REGULAR LINE OF CARRIAGES, for the conveyance of passengers from WOLF STATION, on the Memphis and Charleston Railroad, to the springs.

COLEMAN & WEBSTER,
my3 Proprietors.

THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

FRIDAY : : : MAY 8, 1868

OFFICIAL JOURNAL

OF THE CITY AND BOARD OF SCHOOL VISITORS.

Officers and conductors of railroads are requested to give no free transportation to any one on the credit of the Avalanche.

M. C. GALLAWAY & CO

NEWS IN BRIEF.

On Tuesday the paving of Madison street between Third and the bayou will be resumed.

Ten cases occupied the Police Commissioner's attention yesterday.

We are again compelled to exclude much interesting matter from all departments of the paper in order to print the official proceedings of the Board of Aldermen.

Jack Alexander, Tom McGowen and W. B. Newton—the first two negroes and the other white—were arrested yesterday morning charged with cow lifting—a not particular respectable business.

As an item of cheerful news it is proper to mention that the Board of County Commissioners have appointed the 18th. No assaults on the pocket-handkerchiefs of the ten days; look out for the

...May Day celebration by the young ladies of the State Female College will be repeated this evening. A car will be at the terminus of the Hernando street railway to bring in all who attend from the city.

Yesterday Esquire Dailey issued a warrant for the arrest of Stephen Madden and James Brown, charged with loosing from its moorings in Wolf river a flatboat valued at $200.

Charlie Decker, the Memphis dwarf, who is exactly knee high to a tumblebug, has returned from a professional tour. Charlie is rigged out in gorgeous raiment, sports a flashy watch-chain, and bears every appearance of having done a fine business. He thinks of challenging the winner of the McCoole-Coburn fight.

Literary Notices.

THE DIXIE FARMER.—We are glad to announce the receipt of the *Dixie Farmer*, published every Thursday at Nashville and Columbia, Tennessee, by Wm. R. Bliss & Co., ($3 a year,) and hope that, since the "surrender" and "reconstruction" there will be more farmers in Dixie than there ever were planters. The *Farmer* is a neatly printed paper o sixteen pages of choice reading matter, adapted to the wants of affairs in the South.

PUBLIC SPIRIT.—A monthly magazine, LaGrand Benedict, Published 37 Park Row, New York. The Spirit discards the trammels of magazine literature, and permits a wide range of opinion to be expressed by contributors. It is now in the third year of its existence, and bids fair to be a success. The May number contains "Recollections of Twenty Campaigns—West Tennessee," written with more fairness towards the South than is usual from a Northern stand-point, but evidently by a correspondent who knew more of "war's rude alarums" by sound than sight. The editorial department is varied and sprightly.

LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE.—The May number is received. It contains "Dallas Galbraith," by Mrs. R. Harding Davis; "Passing Beyond," by Edgar Fawcett; "John Nesgle, the Artist," by Thomas Fitzgerald; "Valdemar the Happy," by Mrs. E. M. Sangster; "A Village School in Germany," by C. M. Martin; "An American Fishing Port," by G. H. Procter; "Loyal *en Tout*," a tale, by Kate P. Kereven; "The Talmud," by Rev. Louis C. Newman, D. D.; "Court of the Tuileries," by George M. Towle; "Communication with the Pacific and Beyond," by R. T. Colburn; "Willie's Wife," by Rosamond Dale Owen; "Bostonian Wit and Humor," by Mrs. Rebecca Harding Mitchell; "From the Woods," by Paul H. Hayne; "Our Monthly Gossip;" and "Literature of the Day."

Special attention is requested to the advertisement in another column of trustees sale of the large distillery and property occupied and owned by Fred A. Myers. This will form a capital chance for an investment, as the sale will be peremptory.

NOTICE.—The auction sale of Strauss & Blum's stock of dry goods, clothing, notions, etc., will probably be finished on to morrow evening. The sale on to-morrow morning has been postponed from eleven a.m. to one p.m.

A. M. STODDARD & Co., Auctioneers.

ST. ANDREW'S AND ST. GEORGE'S PICNIC.—The members of the above societies are moving in the matter of a joint picnic on the 24th, the Queen's birth day. Last night a committee from each society met to report, and at five o'clock this afternoon the St. Andrew's Society will meet at the *Appeal* editorial rooms to take final action so far as that organization is concerned.

THE NASHVILLE RACES.—Among the horses arriving in Nashville from Memphis Tuesday, for the races, were Rousseau, Chickamauga, Nelly Gwynne, Beauty, Viola, Pat Cleburne, Elgin, Magazine, Maggie Hunter, Pat Malloy and Hazard.

The largest stock of marseilles and pique in the city, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street. tf

THE LATE GENERAL W. H. CARROLL.—We are requested to announce that a meeting of friends of the late General W. H. Carroll will be held in Mr. Martin's office, in Ayres Block, at 10 o'clock a.m to-day, to adopt suitable resolutions relative to his death.

MR. LEO WHEAT'S CONCERT TO-NIGHT.—We have no doubt that a large and fashionable audience will assemble at the Memphis Club Hall to-night, and we assure them in advance that the musical treat furnished will be long remembered and appreciated. Mr. Wheat and the ladies and gentlemen assisting will appear in a most attractive *repertoire*. Those who desire to hear fine vocal and instrumental music should attend, by all means.

Straw, pith, cork and silk summer hats, at Leidy's, opposite the square. 7t

Alexandre's Kids, new shades, just received at A. Seessel & Son's. tf

A GOOD SALESMAN.—We observe that Mr. H. T. McLarty, dry goods salesman, has become connected with the extensive dry goods and notions house of Rice, Stix & Co., 519 Main street. Mr. McLarty is an experienced salesman, has an extensive and valuable business acquaintance, and cannot fail to prove a valuable accession to any establishment.

Just received—silk trimmings, buttons, cotton drop and bullion fringe, the latest novelties, at A. Seessel & Son's, No. 259 Main street. tf

Miles' shoes, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street.

Embroidered yokes, infants' robes, and marseilles suits, at A. Seessel & Son's, No. 259 Main street. tf

Our summer hats are very neat—Leidy & Co. Hatters, 269 Main street, opposite the square. 7t

Lumber, Shingles and Laths can be bought low of B. K. Plain & Co., 264 Second street. 1m

The *Southern Farmer* for May can be had at all the news dealers' stands.

Get one of Leidy & Co.'s summer hats, the coolest in the city, opposite the square. 7t

We always have the latest and best hats—Leidy & Co., hatters, No. 269 Main street, opposite the square. 7t

Pittsburg and Kentucky coal and gas coke. Brown & Jones, office 247 Second street. tf

ELMWOOD PHOTOGRAPHED.—Professor Balch, the enterprising artist on Main street, opposite Odd Fellows' Hall, has presented us with a neatly framed photograph of "Elmwood on Commemorative Day, March 3d, 1868." The scene is that portion of the grounds embracing the graves of the Confederate dead, and the time chosen is that occupied in prayer. In the dense surnumbers of ladies and gentlemen to be seen are many whose faces can be recognized; the hues of the flowers on the graves are easily discernible and present a most beautiful picture, while the monument, tastefully decorated, looms up grandly in the perspective. Here and there, rising amid shrubbery, and far distant, are scores of monuments and tombstones, about many of which are grouped friends or relatives of those who sleep under them. Professor Balch will furnish copies of the photograph, without frame for two dollars each, or four dollars with frame.

The Chinese Hat, in straw and pith, at Leidy's, opposite the square, No. 269. 7t

Illusion waist, latest styles, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street. tf

CRESCENT CLUBE'S SALE OF THE CARNES PROPERTY.—On Tuesday next will be the most extensive sale that has occurred for some time in Memphis real estates, and will present an array of lots suited in size and locality to every variety of taste and means. We are glad to see, too, that the Crescent has wisely accommodated the terms of sale to the times; and by demanding only a small cash payment, and giving long time to span the abyss of financial and commercial depression, has placed it within the reach of numbers who desire to secure a foothold in the soil, the means of easily and safely gratifying their wishes. We direct special attention to the advertisement, and recommend to our readers to call at the auctioneers' Messrs. Royster, Trezevant & Co., who will sell under the direction of the Clerk and Master, and supply themselves with plans of the property, by which they may examine it before the day of sale.

ODD FELLOWSHIP.

Forty-Ninth Anniversary of the Order Celebrated in Memphis.

A Grand Procession—Address—Picnic and General Festivities.

Yesterday the Odd Fellows of Memphis celebrated their forty-ninth anniversary in a manner befitting the occasion. The programme embraced a grand procession through the principal streets of the city to James' Park, at the head of Vance street, where, after an address from D. G. M., M. R. Elliott, of Gallatin, the day was to be spent in feasting, dancing and festivities generally.

At the appointed hour in the morning the members of the different lodges assembled in front of Court square, on Main street. They were soon afterwards placed in line by Grand Marshal Geo. Mellersh, and assistant Marshals Ben. Bingham, and J. M. Littlefield; after which, preceded by a band, the march commenced—a number of carriages and a car filled with orphans bringing up the rear.

After parading the principal streets, the head of the procession was turned toward the Park, which was reached in due time.

Upon arriving the procession came to a halt, and an address was delivered by P. G. M. Elliott, of Gallatin. He commenced by alluding to the order as being conspicuous among the philanthropic organizations of charity, shedding light and gladness to many hearts, drying many tears, and dissipating many cares. He gave an interesting history of the order, whose motto is "Faith, Hope and Charity," and whose cardinal principles are "Friendship, Love and Truth." It was first organized in London by some journeymen mechanics about the middle of the last century, with the object of effecting relief to the wants of its members. It spread to the eastern hemisphere, and, with "Excelsior" upon its banners, crossed the ocean, and spread its influence throughout our land. This is its forty-ninth anniversary, and thousands of true, honest, philanthropic hearts are now doing homage to its mystic shrine. During the past eight years the order has expended five and a half millions of dollars in charity or various kinds. Previous to that time over seven millions were spent for the same purpose, and true charity is the imperative duty of every Odd Fellow. Since its organization the income of the order has been $25,555,000. Nearly all has been devoted to charity. Mr. Elliott paid an eloquent tribute to the ladies, and closed his elegant oration amid loud applause.

During the address several city artists secured photographic views of the scene from different points.

A large number of ladies, old and young, had previously reached the grounds, and were in waiting when the procession arrived.

After the delivery of the oration the gay party scattered over the green sward beneath the shady oaks in the park, and the festivities soon changed into dancing, which nearly all took part. There were many handsome young ladies, large and small, and they ran, jumped and skipped over the velvet green like playful lambs, and enjoying themselves in innumerable ways.

The only interruption to the dancing was caused by all present devoting attention to the contents of scores of baskets, which, well filled with edibles of various kinds, mysteriously introduced themselves into the enclosure. These were partaken with a zest she ened by the healthful exercise found in "tripping the light fantastic" to the most spirited music.

The managers of the affair deserve credit for the admirable manner in which they conducted everything. Not an unpleasant incident occurred during the day. The conduct of all was circumspect in the highest degree. The only drawback to the fullest possible enjoyment was the narrow space smoothed and spread over with sawdust for the dance. As all out-doors was at the command of the party, this might easily have been avoided. There were several members of the country lodges in attendance, among whom we noticed delegations from Brownsville and Humboldt, Tennessee.

THE COURTS.

LAW COURT—*James O. Pierce, Judge.*—The case of Pillow vs. the Memphis and Charleston railroad company, commenced on yesterday, will probably be on trial for several days.

BANKRUPTCY COURT—*T. J. Latham, Register.* The following discharge in bankruptcy was granted: W. C. Old.

The petitions in the following cases have been found incorrect in form and must be corrected by the attorneys interested: J. H. Borum, L. J. Dupree, John Hood, Alexander Rudd, Abner D. Lewis.

MUNICIPAL COURT.—*Geo. W. Waldran, Judge.* The following cases are set for trial to-day:

638 Lorenzi vs Gallino
639 Herron et al vs Lipari
624 Clark vs Magevenay
641 Cash vs Pike et al
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643 Smith vs Leonard et al
644 Deadrick vs Bunce
645 Arnold for use vs Elson Bros
646 Tennessee National Bank use, etc, vs Hutchenson et al
647 Commercial Bank of Tennessee vs Lofland
648 Seldon, Williams & Co vs Paine
649 Pease vs Wunder
650 Fox vs Dahr
651 Friend et al vs Alexander & Co
652 Trezevant et al vs Rowen
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674 Tate, Abe & Co vs Levy
675 Jenkins & Co vs Nevin et al
676 Commercial Bank vs Mackey
677 German National Bank vs Porter et al
678 Miles vs Lingbeck

REMODELING ODD FELLOWS' HALL.—We announced recently that Odd Fellows' Hall was to be modernized and "remodeled" after the latest style of architecture. Since then we have been permitted to examine the drawings in Mr. M. H. Baldwin's office. The first floor is to be raised, and the basement extra space thus afforded will be converted into a basement properly ventilated and affording ample light. The principal floor will probably be thrown into one vast room, with pillars, and be seventeen and a half feet in height, the object being to lease it as a wholesale dry goods store. If not, it will be divided into three storerooms as at present. The height of the second story will be reduced from twenty-five to seventeen feet. No alteration will be made of the interior of the third story, although the entire outside will be modernized, commencing with an iron open front below. The dome will be changed, and there is some talk of adorning it with a city clock, an excellent idea. The entrance to the third story will be changed to the alley on the east side. It is estimated that the proposed changes will cost between $25,000 and $30,000, and we learn that the work will soon commence.

A MEMPHIS HORSE WINS A NASHVILLE RACE. The Nashville races opened Wednesday, the first being a colt stake for three year olds, mile heats, twenty-five dollars entrance, play or pay, the added to add $300. Three colts were Peter Mitchell's (Memphis) blk.c. Elgin, by Shelby, dam Lady Berry by Emu; General Harding's b. c. Skirmisher, by Loyalty, dam Woodbine, by Lexington; R. A. Saunder's b. Beauge, by Paragnie, Scotland, dam Ala Mode by Mariner; General Thomas Duncan's br. f. Antiopos, by Avalanche, dam Gazelle, by imp. Albion; A.C. Franklin's ch.c. Donevan, by Bulletin, dam by Ambassador, and two others whose names we could not learn. Elgin won the race handsomely.

BUT A GOOD ONE OR NONE.—Many absolutely worthless sewing machines are now before the public, to purchase which would result in nought but disappointment and vexation to the owner. A cheap sewing machine generally proves a dear bargain. Grover and Baker's have stood the test for many years; thousands are in use in this vicinity, and but one opinion prevails as to their worth, the advantages they possess for embroidering, braiding, hemming, etc., and their wonderful simplicity renders them the best in use. Memphis office 309 Main street. 1w

ICE ON THE MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.—Parties on the line of the Memphis and Charleston railroad can have ice furnished in any quantity by sending orders to the Memphis Ice Company. Ice will go east in bulk every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and can be purchased at the car at stations. The price will be but a slight advance on Memphis prices. Ice regularly supplied on orders. [1w] DAVIDSON & Co.

COAT! COAT!! COAT!!!—The large and splendid stock of boots, shoes and hats—one of the finest in the South—to be closed out at less than Eastern cost, for cash, at J. T. Hanlan & Co.'s, No. 279 Main street. 1m

DOORS, Glass, Sash and Blinds can be bought low at B. K. Plain & Co.'s, 264 Second street. 1m

Fine assortment of stock peas for sale by Blakemore & Co., 310 Front street. 2w

[OFFICIAL.]

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL

Wednesday Proceedings, Continued.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Powers:

The petition of Mrs. Kizer asking remuneration for the destruction of her sailing saloon on the landing was referred to Police Commissioners.

By the same:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

The undersigned begs leave to submit the following proposition, viz:

He will furnish all the material necessary to take up the present pavement and grade and repave with brick that part of the sidewalk on Second street, between Second and Market—pavement to be of same width as at present—for one dollar and twenty-five cents per square yard. Said work to be done in a workmanlike style, and payment to be made in United States currency.

M. CRONAN.

April 1st, 1868.

Referred to Paving Committee.

By Alderman Glaney:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

Your petitioners would respectfully represent to your Honorable Board that they were in the employ of the city last year as street hands; that they received city scrip at the value of fifty cents on the dollar, and were forced to sell at thirty-five cents on the dollar. The small salary allowed street hands—merely affording subsistence without depreciation in their money—forces them to ask your honorable body to make good their losses. The books of the Controller will show the amount issued. Hoping your honorable body will give this your favorable consideration, your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

THOMAS RYAN,
PATRICK TURNER,
PATRICK LYNCH.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

By the same:

Honorable Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—On the 16th of March I presented to your Controller eight orders from parties (street hands) having ledger credits. For some reason which I do not understand, payment of the orders is refused. I would like to have the matter referred to the Mayor and Finance Committee to settle.

Respectfully,
MRS. MALONE.

May 6, 1868.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

By Alderman Johnson:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

Your undersigned petitioners represent that they are the owners of lots 14, 16, 20, 22, 24, 24, in the division among the heirs of S. M. Nelson, fronting on the north side of Poplar street, between Third and Fourth streets, three hundred and sixty-seven feet. Their further represent that said property was assessed for 1867, at $90 00 per front foot, and that it is now assessed, for the year 1868, at $108 00 per front foot. They state that the assessment for 1867 was the full value of said property; worth more then than now; that the present assessed value is exorbitant, and should be reduced to that of 1867. It is a fact well known that the general assessment for 1867 has been reduced this present year, and yet the property above mentioned, is especially assessed at more than that of 1867. Therefore your petitioners pray a reduction to correspond with that of 1867.

S. M. NELSON,
L. V. and G. W. FRAZER.

By S. M. NELSON, Agent.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

By the same:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

Your petitioner respectfully represents that she has paid the taxes, for a number of years, to the city on a lot 32ft. on the east side of Second street, between Poplar and Exchange streets, 74x148, while the lot belonging to the estate of W. F. Allen, as per deed dated October 20, 1846, 64½x148, being a difference of nearly ten feet too much. Your petitioner has paid taxes on to the city. Therefore, your petitioner respectfully asks that you will refer the matter to the city Tax Collector, and that the amount over paid be placed to the credit of your petitioner for taxes on said lot, and as in duty bound she will ever pray.

MRS. MARY C. ALLEN.

Refered to Committee on Claims.

By Alderman Johnson:

MEMPHIS, May 5, 1868.

Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: Your petitioner would respectfully ask your honorable body to grant him the privilege of erecting a small frame wood shed on his lot on Jackson street, as the same will in no manner endanger the adjoining property.

Very respectfully, L. SCHAFLER.

Referred to Fire Committee.

By the same:

Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

Your petitioner, Dr. A. Szerengi, would respectfully state to your honorable Board that he is about completing his new house on the west side of Second street, between Poplar and Exchange streets, in the corporate limits of the city of Memphis, and that he finds it impossible to complete the house according to the plans and specifications laid down by the architect unless the alley is graded. It is impossible to fix the grade and curb stones for the cellar in the proper places and position until the alley is graded. Petitioner desires to lay down pipes to convey off the water, and to lay a side walk in the alley. Wherefore petitioner prays that this honorable Board will have the alley adjacent to his house graded, in order that he may complete the same as per specifications. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Very truly, your obedient servant,

ARMIN SZERENGI, M. D.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, April 13, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

RESPECTED SIRS: Your petitioner respectfully represents that he is now constructing a machine shop and boiler manufactory near the intersection of Water and Jefferson streets, and desires the leave of your honorable Board to rod the same with shingles. As your honorable Board are aware, no property adjacent will be jeopardized by said roof, and the chances of any fire happening by that same are very slim; and your petitioner will, as in duty bound, ever pray.

JOHN C. POWERS.

Referred to Fire Committee.

By the same:

A petition from Wm. Elliott to build a snack stand on the landing.

Tabled.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, TENN., April 5th, 1868.

To the Hon. Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: Your petitioners represent that they have for the last three months been engaged in sprinkling and keeping clean the street intersections and alleys on Main street from Beale to Poplar, including cross streets and alleys from Second to Main, and would also state that they have been at considerable expense, and would respectfully ask a remuneration for the same at the rate of one hundred dollars ($100) per month, which is about the average cost of the work. They further propose to continue the work at said rates during the season at the pleasure of your honorable body.

Respectfully yours,

J. BOYTE & Co.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, April 20, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

The undersigned respectfully proposes to lease for a term of years—or as long as your honorable body will do so—a small lot of ground about forty-eight feet square, lying near the corner of Washington and Orleans streets, exactly in the rear of Collin's block, being a part of the lot on which a church is built. It is surrounded by other lots, but he is willing to pay a fair rent for the same, and will keep it in good order. By the death of his old master (Young) the above lot he now lives, and has lived for over twenty years past, he is thrown out of a home; and therefore would humbly ask the favorable and prompt action of the honorable Board.

BEN. SLATER.

Referred to Rent Estate Committee.

By Alderman Wickersham:

A petition from Mary Carroll, asking that her house be permitted to remain on the landing.

Referred to the Landing Committee.

By Alderman Black:

MEMPHIS, April 28, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: Your petitioner would respectfully represent the following facts: That Lauderdale street, at its intersection with Adams street, is not only taken entirely from his lot, but throws a small part of the same on the west side of the street, rendering said fractional part of little or no value; and besides, the said Lauderdale street is laid off very irregularly, and in a manner detrimental to the property.

Also, that the first street east of Second street, running south from Gayoso street, has taken his entire lot, No. 12, Gayoso street, and upon which he has paid the taxes for the past ten or fifteen years.

Also, that the alley between Madison and Monroe streets, and east of Fourth street, has been taken entirely from his lot, No. 524, and upon which he has paid taxes for many years.

And further, that the bayou has been so turned and cut, at Union street, as to be thrown entirely on his lot, No. 650, thereby damaging the same to a considerable extent.

In view of the above facts your petitioner would respectfully ask that compensation be allowed for the damage for the above described property taken for public use.

Respectfully submitted. BRINKLEY.

Referred to Committee on Claims and Improvements.

By Alderman Black:

MEMPHIS, TENN., December 19th, 1867.

To the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

The petitioners Messrs. Taylor, McEwan & Baldwin, and Taylor, Sneed & Ballard, would respectfully request your honorable Board to permit them to transfer to T. B. Brown & Co., a firm composed of T. B. Brown & J. Langdon, all of their contracts that they have made with the City of Memphis for the grading and paving the streets of the city. These contracts embraced those first made by Taylor, McEwan & Co., and those transferred by the city from Forrest, Mitchell & Co., to Taylor, McEwan & Baldwin, and embrace all the unfinished streets contained in those contracts, as well as all the unsettled and unadjusted claims due said contractors by the property holders and city. And ask that the streets already awarded by your Board to the petitioners, but not under contract, be also awarded to said firm.

TAYLOR, McEWAN & Co.,
ABE & A. J. McEWAN,
TAYLOR, McEWAN & BALDWIN.

Witnesses: THOS. S. CRANE, W. W. BALLARD.

Referred to Paving Committee and City Attorney.

By Alderman Brown:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

Your petitioner would show that he recently renewed the shingle roof on a small stable in the rear of No. 39 Court street. That said building is surrounded on three sides by a good fire wall, and he does not believe the neighboring property an dangered by this roof. He is now informed that the permission of the Board is necessary to retain said roof, which he respectfully asks of your honorable body; and your petitioner will ever pray, etc.

CHARLES JONES.

Prayer granted.

By the same:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

The petition of John Bellisle, a citizen of Shelby county, would respectfully show unto your honorable body, that on or about the —— day of November, 1867, your petitioner, in the pursuit of his ordinary business, whilst walking along the streets of your city, was violently and dangerously and very seriously injured by failing over a bluff and straight descent of about sixteen or eighteen feet, from the level of Gayoso street, to the bottom of Clinton street, by which fall petitioner's ankle was broken, and he was otherwise seriously damaged and injured. Petitioner states that said fall was produced by the want of care and the direct negligence of the city officials of Memphis, in not erecting a barrier, or placing a warning light in front of the excavation of said Clinton street, which was about eighteen or eighteen feet from the natural elevation of the surface of Gayoso, which crossed the same; that said excavation was made under and by direction of the City of Memphis, for its own use and purposes; and that by the careless neglect aforesaid this petitioner was so grievously damaged and injured as to be utterly incapacitated from attending to his ordinary business, and was wholly unable to provide for his sustenance; and that he is still so incapacitated by means of said damage and injury, and is compelled to use and walk on crutches; that he was confined to his bed in the hospital for a period of more than three months, and endured great suffering. Petitioner states that he is advised that he can recover heavy damages from your said city, but that he is unwilling to force your said city to unnecessary expense, and he therefore proposes that your honorable body pay him two thousand dollars in city paper, or one thousand dollars in currency (greenbacks), and he will compromise and settle the same, and give a receipt in full for all damages sustained in the premises. Petitioner makes the proposition in good faith, although the amount proposed would but illy recompense him for the amount of damage sustained.

Petitioner states that he is a poor man, and depends upon his physical labor for a support for himself and those dependant upon him; and in equity and good conscience he asks that the above amount be paid him for the damage he has sustained.

And petitioner will ever pray, etc.

JOHN BATTISTE,
Petitioner.

By O. YERGER, his Attorney.

MEMPHIS, May 5, 1868.

Refered to Committee on Claims.

By Alderman Cartwright:

MEMPHIS, May 5, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

GENTLEMEN: Your petitioners, gardeners of the city of Memphis, Shelby county, would respectfully ask your honorable body to prohibit parties from peddling vegetables through the city before and after market hours. As we, gentlemen, pay a revenue to the city, which is impossible for us to pay, if parties are not stopped from peddling through the streets. We also state to your honorable body that we can sell to the citizens of Memphis cheaper, and also better vegetables than those parties who peddle through the heat of the day. Attached you will find the names of your petitioners, and hoping your honorable body will grant the above,

Yours, etc.,

Tony Ingel,	J Irving,
J C Simpson,	F Volmer,
W Maning,	W Penn,
J Renfro,	W Mangan,
M Monaglan,	W B Cotton,
R Kautrowrzs,	D D Cook,
Mary A Cook,	H Werthaven,
A Pauly,	D Spore,
Wm Spore,	J Hoss,
W Dickerson,	J M Connell,
F Somerhaller,	C J Fults,
J H Worth,	M Doyles,
F McClean,	A Stroud,
M Hooper,	C C Rollins,
T Bacicalupo,	W Sanderson,
N Block,	G Behvenger,
F Warner,	J G Sage,
A Monteverda,	C Hellenbrant,
G W Hill,	J B Cox,
G Cook.	

GENTLEMEN: I recommend the passage of a law to protect your petitioners as they peddlers stand around the market house until they hear the bell toll, and then instead of offering their vegetables for sale they go through the city peddling, which deprives your petitioners from a sale or sale of their vegetables; and also deprives me from collecting the amount of revenue which is entitled to the city.

Respectfully, yours,

PETER CONNALLY,
North Memphis Market Master.

Referred to Market Committee.

By the same:

A petition from Coleman Boyd asking an abatement of assessment on real estate.

Referred to the Committee on Claims and Real Estate.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, April 30, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

RESPECTED SIRS: The undersigned, your petitioners, tax payers, and citizens of the fourth and fifth wards, hereby respectfully pray your honorable body to have constructed and built a public fire cistern, of the usual size and dimensions, at the intersection of Monroe and DeSoto streets. In asking for the granting of the above favor, we feel that your honorable body will not refuse, knowing the necessity for the use of the same; and will ever thank.

W W Hodge,	Thomas O Smith,
N J Wiggin,	Mrs E Elsum,
John A Raush,	B Malatesta,
W S Bruce & Co	F Feldman,
W H Affick,	S O Mount,
M H Sayler,	W B Knight,
W F Boyle,	Mrs W B McClelland,
	Mrs W B Smith,
	J F Sellers.

Referred to City Engineer and Fire Committee.

By the same:

A petition from S. Sullivan asking the restoration of his Market stall.

Prayer granted.

By Alderman Holst:

MEMPHIS, TENN., May 4, 1868.

Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN:—I would ask permission of your honorable body to build a small kitchen, and make some necessary repairs on my premises, corner of Monroe and DeSoto streets. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Respectfully yours, B. MALATESTA.

Prayer granted.

By Alderman Stoltz:

WHEREAS, Wharfboats, on a large commercial scale, with arrangements for shipping, reshipping, storing, boarding and lodging, are unknown in other large cities of the west, and believed by many of our best merchants to be master of carrying passon our city more profitable trade than would otherwise find a lodgment here; therefore be it

Resolved, That no Wharfboat of more than sixty feet long and eighteen feet wide be allowed to lay at the wharf, within the corporate limits that said boats shall have no lock-up apartment of more than ten feet square, and only one of them; that no freight be allowed to lay on such boat more than eighteen hours, during the week, and not more than thirty hours, embracing Sunday.

Resolved, That no freight, to be reshipped by one Boat Company on to another, be allowed to remain on the wharf more than six hours.

By Alderman Rumm:

A petition from W. A. Griffin asking an abatement of taxes on property while laid by the military authorities. Referred to Committee on Claims and City Attorney.

By the same:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned proposes to grade Lauderdale from the Bayou to Hernando street, under the direction of the City Engineer, and pay the city for the dirt at the rate of twelve and a half cents per thousand made in brick. All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. C. DOLLIS.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By the same:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

Your petitioners would respectfully ask that gas-lights be put up on Main street, at the corners of Pontotoc, Vance, Talbot, Shelby and Trezevant streets. The darkness is such that we are especially afraid of violence at the hands of thieves and lawless men, and as we are tax payers we trust your honorable body will attend to the prayer of your petitioners.

Very respectfully, etc.,

J. M. PAMPLIN,
And twenty-one others.

Referred to Gas Committee.

By Alderman Ramer:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

The undersigned petitioners, citizens of Memphis, and owners of property on DeSoto street, beg leave to offer to your honorable Board our earnest protest against the paving of DeSoto street, as contemplated. The majority of your petitioners are comparatively poor, and have no other means of paying for said pavement but by making sacrifices which will injure and embarrass us indefinitely. We therefore pray that the said street be not paved, or at least that the paving be postponed till we shall be more able to pay for it. Relieving your honorable Board will consider the true interests of all the citizens for whom it legislates, we respectfully beg your reception and action on this our protest. And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

WM. DAVIDSON, and thirty-five others.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, April 21, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

Your petitioner, S. Curry, would most respectfully show unto your honorable body that in the spring of 1865 I obtained the privilege of keeping an eating stand on the levee, which privilege was denied shortly after Mayor Lodand's election. Your petitioner's stand was closed up several times by the police and had to put up a forfeit. Mayor Lofland advised me to petition the City Council, which I did, signed by sixty-five of the largest tax payers of the city. Alderman Glaney presented it and was successful in passing an ordinance to give me back my money, as I was under considerable expenses in putting up a new shanty. The City Council referred me to Mr. Davis, the Tax Collector, and he said he had no money belonging to the city, what he had belonged to the police. Mayor Lofland told me to sue for it and if I got judgment he believed he would not appeal to it; but it was quite the reverse, as Mr. Morgan afterwards appealed to it, which I believe he did reluctantly, as I consider him a gentleman and nothing else. This petition is written by your petitioner, a man sixty-five years of age, father of eighteen children and two pair of twins. Therefore he hopes you will grant his request and give him the $140 which he has judgment for without any further litigation, or its equivalent in city scrip, as your petitioner stands in need of it; and your petitioner, in duty bound, will ever pray.

SIMON CURRY.

Referred to City Attorney.

[Conclusion of proceedings in to-morrow's issue.]

BUSINESS NOTICES.

A cough, a cold or a sore throat requires immediate attention and should be checked. If allowed to continue, irritation of the throat and lungs follows, ending in consumption. A few doses of Brown's Bronchial Troches, having a direct influence to the parts, give immediate relief. For bronchitis, asthma, catarrh, consumptive and throat diseases, Troches are used with always good success. Singers and public speakers use them to clear and strengthen the voice. Obtain only "Brown's Bronchial Troches," and do not take any of the worthless imitations that may be offered. Sold everywhere. 1odim

DR. JAMES.—His appointed time in Memphis having terminated, he will in future be addressed at his home office, 61 Randolph street, Chicago, Illinois Read his card in another column. ap19

RIVER NEWS.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
FRIDAY, May 8.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

RICHMOND	Louisville	10 a m
NATCHEZ	Friar's Point	5 p m
JULIA	Helena	5 p m

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

Weather cool and cloudy. The river has declined one and a half inches in the past twenty-four hours. At Cairo the river commenced rising on Wednesday. At St. Louis the river commenced falling Wednesday evening. The Ohio is falling at Pittsburg, but rising from Cincinnati down to Cairo, with twenty-four feet in the channel at Cincinnati and nine feet in the canal at Louisville, and seven feet on the falls. The Arkansas is falling from Fort Smith to the mouth, with fifteen feet in the channel. White river is near bank full but receding slowly. Tennessee and Cumberland rivers are rising slowly.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Alaska, New Orleans,
" W. A. Caldwell, Arkansas River.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Alaska, Cincinnati,
" Marble City, St. Louis,
" Celeste, Arkansas River.

BOATS IN PORT.

Sam. J. Hale, Natoma, W. A. Caldwell.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Business on the wharf yesterday was exceedingly dull, with little movement in freights. The weather was dark and gloomy, with a stiff breeze blowing.

The river here is receding slowly, and has declined ten inches altogether. At Cairo the river commenced rising on Wednesday, but is falling again at St. Louis. The Ohio is rising, from Cincinnati to Cairo, with heavy rains along the water courses. If the weather should prove favorable, the rise out of the Ohio and upper Mississippi will not have much effect on the river here.

The Alaska passed up yesterday morning for Cincinnati.

The Continental and Mat Burns were overdue last night from St. Louis.

The Celeste cleared for Arkansas river, with a fair trip.

The W. A. Caldwell came in from Arkansas river yesterday, and leaves on Monday with a return trip. Her officers report the river falling, from Fort Smith to the mouth. Mr. Chambers, an agreeable and affable gentleman, has charge of the office. Captain Elias Evans, one of the most popular officers on the Arkansas, is her star gazer.

The R. E. Lee is due to morrow, en route for New Orleans.

The Commonwealth and Selma left New Orleans on Tuesday for St. Louis, and the Louisville for Louisville.

Captain Stut Neale telegraphed from Vicksburg that the Richmond would leave here this morning at ten a.m. for Louisville.

Her to Louisville.—The mammoth and palatial passenger steamer Richmond, in command of the experienced and ever popular officer, Capt Stut Neale, will leave the wharf to-day at 10 a.m for Cairo and Louisville. The Richmond has superior passenger accommodations; her state rooms are large, airy and finely furnished; her fare will vie with the best hotels of the country. Passengers who wish a safe and pleasant journey up the river will be landed at Louisville Saturday evening by this magnificent packet. Captain J. S. Wolfolk, a whole-souled gentleman, with whom it is a pleasure to travel, has charge of the office and is ably seconded by the genial and clever officer Captain Bob Lodge.

The Sam. J. Hale is up for Cincinnati to-day at five p.m.

The splendid passenger steamer Julia, in command of Captain Luker

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CONGRESSIONAL PERSONALITIES.

Brooks Impales Beast Butler, and Hangs the Carcass Out to Dry.

Fort Fisher, Big Bethel and New Orleans Brought Slightly in Review.

Mr. Speaker Colfax will leave on the records of Congress some of the most shameful partisan rulings that ever disgraced a deliberate body. Parliamentary laws are stretched and warped to allow the utmost latitude of personal abuse to his fellow partisans, and the utmost rigor is exerted to gag the unprotected Democrats the moment they begin a retort. In the House on the 1st instant, under pretense of making an explanation about the Alta Vela business, Ben. Butler launched into a gross personal attack upon Mr. Brooks and his paper, the New York *Express*. He even made the basest allusions to a lawsuit in which Brooks was engaged years ago. Colfax saw nothing unparliamentary in this. We subjoin what followed:

Mr. Brooks began by asserting that Alta Vela was not a newly discovered island, but belonged to San Domingo. He disclaimed also all intention of making any personal attacks on either General Butler or General Logan. The following war of words ensued, which we quote from the *Globe*:

Mr. Butler—Will the gentleman allow me to ask him a single question?

Mr. Brooks—Yes, sir.

Mr. Butler—While I was in the military service of the country, did not the gentleman arise here and accuse me of being a "gold robber?"

Mr. Brooks—I did, and it is because I did arise and on this floor accuse the gentleman of being a "gold robber" (and the fact was substantially established in the courts of New York) that he pursues me with the fire and fury exhibited upon all occasions when he and I come in conflict.

Sir, the honorable gentleman from Massachusetts will never, never forgive me, because I extorted from him, or was the means of extorting from him, through the Treasury Department here and through the courts in New York, $60,000 in gold, which he had extorted from a New Yorker in New Orleans when he had command there—a sum of money which he was obliged, by the courts of New York, to pay back, not exactly in the gold which he appropriated in New Orleans when it was at $2 80, but in paper as legal tender. It is because of this act of mine upon the floor of this House, when he was a Commanding General, and I, as a public man, exposed his acts here, that I am assailed, as I have been by him to-day, and upon other occasions elsewhere.

Sir, as a member of Congress upon the floor of this House when the subject matter of the war was under discussion, I had a parliamentary right to allude to the whole course of the honorable gentleman from Massachusetts, and to dwell upon all his actions in New Orleans and elsewhere. He first, in order to deter me, sent an aid-de-camp of his, with epaulets, to my private chamber with a letter threatening me with something or other if I did not retract what I had uttered; and because I choose to call the attention of the House to the subject of that letter, here, elsewhere everywhere he has pursued me with volumes of abuse and vituperation, with words and language of a character which I cannot properly here describe, but which would better befit Newgate or Billingsgate than the House of Representatives of the United States, and would better befit a representative from old Massachusetts.

The Speaker—The chair will state that that remark is unparliamentary and out of order.

Mr. Brooks—Billingsgate out of order! Why it is a gate in the city of London.

The Speaker—It is unparliamentary as applied by the gentleman from New York.

Mr. Brooks—Sir, the gentleman from Massachusetts, in order to punish me for this discussion two Congresses since, has entered upon the subject of a lawsuit which I had in the courts of New York, and which was amicably settled between the parties, to the perfect satisfaction of all sides. Whatsoever he has stated here as fact has not even the merit of imagination, and does not approach the domain of fact.

I might, if I chose, enter into his history. Of what use would it be to me, when you often hear these things uttered, to proclaim the glories of Big Bethel in his ear? [Laughter.] The gentleman is distinguished in war as in the arts of peace. Of what use would it be for me to speak of the "beauty and booty" of New Orleans, particularly of the booty of New Orleans, which was of far more importance, in his estimation, than the beauty of New Orleans? I might dwell upon the "concussion" at Fort Fisher.

The Speaker—The Chair will remind the gentleman from New York that the question before the House is the resolution introduced by himself in regard to Alta Vela, and the Chair does not see exactly what this has to do with that.

Mr. Brooks—Well, if the Chair had not been able to see it in the course of the discussion when the honorable gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. Butler) alluded to a certain law suit of mine, I would be quite able to appreciate the inability of the Chair to see it now.

The Speaker—As the gentleman from New York (Mr. Brooks) casts an imputation upon the Chair, and intimates that he has not been fair in the decision which he has made, the Chair will state to the gentleman from New York that the remarks of the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. Butler) were in regard to legal opinions which the gentleman from New York knows very well.

And if the gentleman from New York will now trace any connection between the remarks he was making about "beauty and booty," and the Alta-Vela case, and the conduct of the managers, the Chair will willingly modify or change his ruling.

Mr. Brooks—The whole matter is a very dirty affair, relating to guano, as the gentleman from Massachusetts remarked while upon the floor. But under the ruling of the chair—and I have no doubt the chair is discharging, to the best of his ability, the duty incumbent upon him, to preserve order and decorum in this House—I have very little remedy for any personal attack made upon me here or elsewhere.

The gentleman from Massachusetts is not amenable either to the laws of debate or to the laws of courtesy. But I might do as he has done, perhaps. I might say that I, not as a lawyer, but as a journalist, having reference to journalistic matters connected with Alta Vela as a subject of public discussion, have been called upon to give an opinion in reference to some matters in connection with it.

And if I undertake to enter into that discussion, I hope the chair will observe carefully what I am saying, and keep me within the bounds of order. I will say that there was a certain case in the State of Massachusetts, where an honorable gentleman had came home from the glories of war illustrious and renowned, with the keys of Richmond in his pocket, elevated, ennobled and aggrandized by the various victories which he had won over the enemies of his country, yet he was attacked thereby a common bricklayer for an onslaught upon him and soundly thrashed therefor. As he is capable of submitting patiently to a thrashing like that, I have no occasion here or elsewhere to vindicate myself from the personal assaults and attacks which the honorable gentleman from Massachusetts [Mr. Butler] makes upon me here.

Sir, no man can deprecate more than I these discourtesies of debate; and those who have observed my course in this House for years past, will bear me witness that I never indulge in them unless I am provoked. But I allow no gentleman—no honorable or dishonorable gentleman—in any species of debate, unprovoked by any personal allusion from me, to attack me without using all the talents which God has given me in vindication of myself and in the way of proper retort.

I hope that now the honorable gentleman from Massachusetts is satisfied with the vengeance he has had for the exposure which I made of a gold transaction in the city of New Orleans. Wealthy as he is, abounding in all the resources of fortune, enjoying all the blessings of this life, and with, I trust, an anticipation of enjoying those of the life to come, he will, I hope, forgive me for having been the instrument of taking from his pocket, or from some one's pocket where he had deposited it, this large sum of money, and will no longer pursue this course of personal retort and vengeance upon me, whenever an opportunity arises.

Mr. Washburne, of Illinois—I move that this whole subject be laid on the table.

Mr. Eldridge—On that motion I call for the yeas and nays.

Mr. Robinson—Would it not be in order to refer the subject to a committee?

The Speaker—That motion would not be in order, pending the motion to lay on the table, which has priority even of the previous question.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The question was taken, and there were—yeas 67, noes 25, not voting 97.

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Attachment Notice.

W. P. Wright vs. John Hilliard.

THE defendant in the above entitled cause will take notice that an attachment has been sued out against him, upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, "levied, etc.," and the case set for hearing at my office in the city of Memphis on the 28th day of May, 1868 at ten o'clock a.m., when and where he can appear and defend said action, or else the case will be proceeded with ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four weeks in the Memphis Daily Avalanche.
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Administratrix's Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of David Jameson, deceased, having been granted to me by the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, at its April term, 1868, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to pay such indebtedness to me; and I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them, properly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.
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No. 2878—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Insolvent and Creditor's Notice—John Mallum, Administrator, de bonis non, of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, vs. John H. Holt and wife et al.

IN this cause the insolvency of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, has been suggested, the creditors thereof made parties defendant to this suit, whose names and places of residence are unknown, and an order entered directing publication to be made; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in June, 1868, and file and establish their claims against said estate, or the same will be forever barred and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for three months in the Memphis Avalanche.
A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON,
By H. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. Clerk and Master.
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Notice to Creditors.

No. 2821—Chancery Court of Memphis—John C. Lanier vs the Gayoso Savings Institution et al.

IT is ordered by the Court in this cause, that the creditors of the Gayoso Savings Institution do immediately come in and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper proof of the same, that they may receive their pro rata share of the assets of said Bank for distribution among the creditors; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Appeal, Avalanche and Post, until the further orders of this Court.
A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON,
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Administrator's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of E. Stephenson, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of said E. Stephenson, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.
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R. W. BROOKS,
mh29 Administrator of Wm. Haney, deceased.

Administratrix's Settlement in the County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Watt C. Bradford, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my annual and final settlement of the estate of Watt C Bradford, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.
apr7 C. A. SCHAFER, Administratrix.

Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of W. T. Donelson.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of W. T. Donelson with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.
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Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of Heirs of Wm. F. Allen, deceased.

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Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust to me executed and delivered on the 8th day of August, 1867, by T. J. Reasonover, and duly noted on pages 470, 471 and 472 of Record book No 61, in the Register's office of Shelby county; therefore, to secure the indebtedness therein described, I shall,

On Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1868,

In front of the Greenlaw Block, at the door of the Chancery Court room, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: [illegible] one-sixth interest in three acres of land bought by T. M. [illegible] of Mrs. E. Ragland, executrix, and S. R. Ragland, executor, of N. Ragland, deceased, which said deed is on record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book 54, part second, pages 29 and 30, and is therein described as lot No. 5, and the interest therein conveyed is the same conveyed by T. M. Reasonover to Thomas J. Reasonover on the 25th of March, 1867, which deed is recorded in book No. 60, part first, pages 356 and 357, May 11, 1867, and to which reference is made for description of metes and bounds. The equity of redemption is waived; the title believed to be good, but I convey only as Trustee.
apr JOHN R. REASONOVER, Trustee.

Attachment Notice.

R. A. Pruden vs. J. C. Gay. Before Michael Foley, J. P.

THE defendant in the above entitled cause will take notice that an attachment has been sued out against him, upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, levied, etc.; and that the case is set for hearing at my office in the city of Memphis, on the 18th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., when and where he can appear and defend said action, or else the case will be proceeded with ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four weeks in the Memphis Daily Avalanche.
apr17 MICHAEL FOLEY, J. P.

Creditor's Notice.

No. 2435—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis—W. N. Wilkerson et al., vs. the Franklin Insurance Banking Company et al.

IN this cause, upon motion and in conformity to the prayer of the bill, it is ordered by the Court that all persons claiming to be creditors or having any character of demands against the "Franklin Insurance and Banking Company of Memphis, shall immediately come into this Court and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper evidence of the same, that they may severally recover their ratable share of the assets of said Company, to be distributed in this cause; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Daily Appeal and Avalanche for three (3) months from this date, March 11, 1868.
A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON,
By H. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. Clerk and Master.
EWING, JACKSON, McDAVITT and E. BURKE PICKETT, Sols. mh11

Attachment Notice.

William Vesey and I. T. Cartwright, partners in trade, firm name and style of Vesey & Cartwright, vs. B. Cuneo.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, B. Cuneo; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the 26th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.
apr25 JAMES HALL, J. P.

Attachment Notice.

O. Woolridge, M. Woolridge and A. J. Pollack, partners in trade, firm name of Woolridge & Co., vs. Mrs. D. F. Lorance.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied etc.," on the property of the defendant, Mrs. D. F. Lorance; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, on or before the 26th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to her and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.
apr25 JAMES HALL, J. P.

Attachment Notice.

J. C. Holst, G. H. Holst and T. W. Holst, partners in trade, firm name of J. C. Holst & Co., vs. Mrs. D. F. Lorance as administratrix of D. F. Lorance, deceased.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, Mrs. D. F. Lorance; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, on or before the 26th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to her and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.
apr25 JAMES HALL, J. P.

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust to me executed by Thomas Demmons, on the 17th day of November, 1866, which deed is of record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book No. 58, part 1, page 28, etc., to secure to Sarah Ann Perry the prompt payment of certain notes therein specified, and whereas the said notes have not been paid, now, therefore, by virtue of the power in me vested by said deed of trust, I will,

On Saturday, the 23d day of May, 1868,

Between the hours of [illegible] a.m. and [illegible] p.m. in front of the Postoffice, on the corner of Jefferson and Third streets, in the city of Memphis, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the property in said deed conveyed and described thus: Being in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, [illegible] [illegible] beginning at the intersection of the east side of Marley [avenue] with the south side of Brinkley street, as laid down on R. C. Brinkley's map of said city; [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. Title believed to be good, but I convey only as Trustee. The equity of redemption waived.
GEORGE R. NORTHERN, Trustee.

LEGAL.

Notice.

To whom it may Concern.

IN the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, on the first Monday of May, 1868, I will apply for the letters of administration on the estate of J. S. Taylor, deceased, in the County Court of said county.
apr23 S. ANDERSON.

Administratrix's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Daniel Moriarty, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of Daniel Moriarty, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.
Filed April 7, 1868. MARY MORIARTY, Administratrix.
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Notice.

I WILL, at the next term of the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, apply for letters of administration upon the estate of Patrick Matthews, deceased.
DANIEL BREEN.
T. A. RYAN, Attorney for Breen. apr26

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Tax Ordinance.

CITY TAX.

BE it ordained, etc., That the City Tax on all property assessed for the Forty-first Corporate Year, shall be and is hereby made as follows: One dollar and ten cents on every one hundred dollars worth of taxable property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in administering the affairs of the city; fifty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of paying the interest on the past due indebtedness of the city; and twenty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in carrying on the City Schools.

Approved April 13, 1868.
E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.
Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. apr14

Sanitary Ordinance.

WHEREAS, it is important to prevent the visitation of epidemic diseases to the city, and as the accumulation of filth of any kind in and around the premises of the inhabitants of the city is likely to endanger the health of the community; therefore,

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

SECTION 1. That no occupant of any building or premise in the city of Memphis shall permit the accumulation of any filth, garbage, or noxious substances upon said premises, but shall have the same removed at their expense.

SEC. 2. Said occupants shall not throw, or put into any street, public or private alley, any filth, garbage, or other noxious substances, or permit the same to flow from their premises.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Sanitary Police, or any other member of the Police Force, to see that the above sections, one and two, are not violated; and if any filth, garbage, or other noxious substance is found in and around said premises, or near the same, in any street or alley, said occupant shall be required to remove the same within twenty-four hours; and in default thereof, said occupant shall be fined five dollars for each and every day said filth is permitted so to remain.

SEC. 4. The violation of the first and second section of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty five dollars.

Passed first and final reading by a suspension of the rules.
Approved April 13, 1868.
E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.
Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. apr14

Ordinance.

BE it ordained, etc., That the sidewalk on each side of Shelby street, from Beale to South streets, be widened, so that hereafter said sidewalks shall be twelve feet; said widening to be done by the property owners, without cost to the city.

Passed first and final reading, by a suspension of the rules.
Approved April 13, 1868.
E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.
Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. apr14

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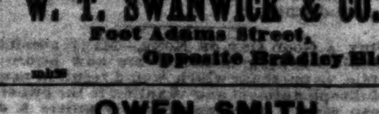

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